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FORT SUMNER, (Sunnyside Post office), GUADALUPE COUNTY, N. M., DECEMBER 11, 1909.

\$1 A YEAR, CASH.

Woodmen Election.

The Woodmen of the World held an interesting meeting on Thursday night. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A. A. Wells, Council Commander; J. J. Avant, Advisor; Lieutenant; Howard Barrett, Banker; Arnet J. Gilliam, Clerk; Phillip Steiner, Escout; A. P. Anaya, Sentry; A. A. Hensley, Watchman; Dr. W. R. Lovelace, Physician. Dr. Lovelace, Simon Katz and Howard Barrett were elected managers for three, two and one years respectively. The installation of the new officers will take place on the second Thursday in January. The order will give a masquerade ball on December 22nd.

Las Vegas has let a contract by which she is to have a large tract of land put under irrigation at an early date. The contract with the Canfield Construction Company has been let, also a sub-contract with Cale and Worky; actual work of construction to commence within ten days.

Portales has voted \$75,000 bonds for water works, sewage and electric light plant. Portales is verily going some.

We take pleasure in announcing the formation of J. H. Keeling & Co., as a partnership for the transaction of a general real estate and loaning business. It is understood that this firm has made arrangements for lending eastern funds on first class real estate security. In a few days the offices of the Company will be located in the old bank building just up the street from the bank in the meantime they have their temporary headquarters at the bank.

December 5th there was held one of the best attended church services ever held in this town there being about fifty present at the morning service. This shows that in the completion of our new church building we may expect a still larger attendance.

United States Court Commissioner F. N. Page shipped from Buchanan on December 1st, five carloads of steers which sold on the Kansas City market at \$5.00 per hundred weight; netting owners over \$50.00 each. This is the high price for grass fed steers, and shows what New Mexico is worth.

A very few of our public spirited citizens have responded to the appeal of the Health Officer and cleaned up their premises; others have not heeded the request. The Health Officer is doing nothing, and typhoid fever is still with us.

Work is now progressing on the new church. Those who are willing to contribute a days work or hauling will please call and see Rev. Willis Smith who is superintending the work.

The town of Bozeville, Ga., recently wiped off the map by a cyclone, is to be rebuilt. Perhaps the elements down Georgia way would be kinder to that municipality in the future if in the rebuilding it will be renamed something like Watertown or Buttermilkburg.

The notice given to the report that Mr. Fairbanks has shaved off his whiskers constitutes an assurance that he, too, though absent, is in the public mind.

Territorial Lands.

The list enumerated below contains the vacant school and institutional lands in Guadalupe County, December 1st, 1909. The same are subject to lease for grazing or agricultural purposes. Blank applications or further information may be had on application to the Territorial Land Office at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Robert P. Ervin
Commissioner of Public Lands.

Twp.	Range	Section
2 North	16 East	16 and 36
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2 "	22 "	16 "
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2 "	25 "	36
3 "	16 "	16 and 36
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3 "	19 "	16 and 36
3 "	21 "	16 "
3 "	23 "	16 and 36
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3 "	25 "	16 "
3 "	26 "	36
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4 "	18 "	16 and 36
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4 "	20 "	16 "
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4 "	22 "	16 "
4 "	23 "	16 "
4 "	25 "	16 "
5 "	16 "	16 "
5 "	17 "	16 and 36
5 "	18 "	16 and 36
5 "	19 "	16 "
5 "	20 "	16 and 36
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5 "	22 "	6, 7.
5 "	26 "	36
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Teacher's Monthly Report.

School District No. 20, for the month ending November 26, 1909

ENROLLMENT.
Males, 89; Females, 112; Total 201
AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE
Males, 76; Females, 86; total 162
No. neither absent nor tardy 43.
No. of recitations daily 68. No. visits from school directors 4.
M. Blanchard, Principal.

Valley Notes.

A new well is being drilled on the Disney place.

Alfalfa hay and corn at Blankenship & Company.

A new wind mill and pump house are the latest additions to Lucerne Farm.

Dr. W. H. Fitch's residence is completed, likewise the Wyeth home.

See Erickson's New line Dry Goods before buying elsewhere.

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Manzaneros on the 6th, a fine baby girl.

The Sunday School will be held at the McCann cottage until further notice.

Rev. S. E. Turner will preach at the McCann cottage Sunday at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

Manager VanDyke has kept the balers busy for a week and now has a car of alfalfa and millet ready for shipment.

The Insurance companies recommend Concrete buildings as being the best Fire Proof Structures made. Wright & Hurd, 21-13

Will trade acreage under the ditch for a good work team.

L. C. VANHECKE.

The Helms farm under the canal has been put in shape by the Holliness College of La Lande and will be used as an experimental farm the ensuing season.

Wallpaper at Wilmoth's from 5 cents up.

The excellent flow of good water for domestic use coming from shallow wells in the valley is worthy of attention. F. A. Manzaneros' well is scarcely 30 feet deep and many are between 50 and 75.

Oysters, Fish, Soup and Chili at the Arc Light Cafe.

Things are booming over in the big bend where the Kenny outfit are expending their labors and and some foreign capital. It looks like a little town with its new houses and shacks. If the boys don't call a halt soon there will be three instead of two towns in this squabble.

Curtis' Meat Market delivers meat anywhere in town.

Now that everyone's alfalfa is coming along satisfactorily attention has been turned to fruit trees and horticulture is the main topic of conversation. Tree planting time is nearly here and from present indications extensive planting can be looked for.

Just received a car load of corn chops and bran at Blankenship's

The Fort Sumner Land and Development Company are at present cleaning their canal and just as soon as this is done--in about two weeks, weather permitting--they will be prepared to furnish a two week's run of water to those farmers who desire to set out trees this winter.

Farmers who so desire should get their ground and trees ready and be prepared to use this water when it is turned on; due notice of which will be given later, otherwise they will be compelled to wait till early spring when a run of water will be given for those who desire early alfalfa irrigation.

W. G. McCann, Dutch Say't.
Weather Observer Manzaneros reports the coldest night of the season on the 8th, the thermometer registering 8.5 degrees.

The new phone line is a reality as far as S. E. Turner's place and Manager Ackerman promises service over the entire valley in a week.

Crescencio Gallegos, Justice of the Peace and Commission merchant of Santa Rosa paid our town a visit last Sunday.

Mrs. S. A. Marris, trained nurse of Las Vegas, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Manzaneros.

John Pickel bought twenty acres of irrigated land this week.

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Anaya, ten-pound boy last Saturday morning.

B. Blankenship went to Portales Sunday.

Get prices before buying elsewhere. We bought our goods cheap and will sell them cheap for cash. Blankenship & Co.

J. A. Northington says he will have to hire another helper or take his ad out of the Review as he is getting more work than he can keep up with.

We take pleasure in announcing that any of our readers can secure a pocket diary for 1910 by sending 4 one-cent stamps to D. Swift & Co., Patent Lawyers, Washington, D. C.

The diary is bound in a beautiful stiff red cover, contains 96 pages, gives the amount of corn, wheat, oats, tobacco, and cotton produced in each state, 20 pages of other valuable information, such as business laws, patent laws, business forms and population of all States and cities; worth 25 cents.

For three one-cent stamps, we will also send a fine wall calendar 10x11 inches. Send 7 one cent stamps for the diary and calendar, worth fully 40 cents.

C. E. Ackerman, Manager of the Telephone company has completed his line down the valley as far as W. G. McCann's place from there he will use the wire fence and place every farm in valley in communication with town.

J. O. Welborn returned the first of the week from a trip to Roswell and says that after a careful survey of the Roswell district he is more than ever convinced of Fort Sumner's brilliant future.

J. O. Reed of Ricardo was circulating among our merchants the first of the week.

Here's hoping they preserve the Fairbank's whiskers in alcohol.

It was a happy family that was not compelled to revise its Thanksgiving turkey down to chicken this year.

The election of Moxley to fill Lorrimer's seat in congress indicates that Chicago is not yet strong for reform.

Football has been abolished from the high schools in Washington. That usually follows a killing. We are a great people to lock the stable door after the horse has been stolen.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon continues to make a noise like injured innocence.

People who complain of the lack of hell in modern religion ought to try politics.

No use for the Republican party to spank the Sugar Trust baby now. It has grown up.

When the full force of the New York customs frauds dawned upon his indolent intellect, it is said that the President's expansive smile disappeared. This is important, if true.

LOCALETES

A car of "Amarillo Best" flour just received at Blankenship & Company.

Erickson & Co. have received a car load of Ellwood Woven Wire Fence.

D. W. Taylor, who lives 25 miles north of town, is dangerously ill with antrypelas and blood poison.

The finest line of woolen and fleece-lined underwear at Blankenship & Co's.

Wilmoth asks you to examine his work before having painting and paper hanging done.

J. L. Lovelace and daughter, Miss Mabel went to Albuquerque Sunday.

Kemp Lumber Company has just received shipment of 5x5x-24 for windmill towers.

We are sole agents for Chase & Sanborns Celebrated Coffees, try them Erickson & Co.

Kemp Lumber Co. has just received a large consignment of Lincoln Paints, Kalsomine, Oil and Roof Paints.

J. P. Stone, of Portales, accompanied by his cousin, J. P. Stone, of Brownwood, Tex., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown.

J. B. Wilmoth has received a stock of up-to-date wall paper and sells the same at regular prices.

Blankenship & Co. have just received a large consignment of men's, boys and children's shoes, which added to their already large stock, makes the best stock of shoes in Guadalupe County.

Any suit of Clothes in the house at cost for cash. Look at them at Erickson & Co.

Children's underwear in all styles and prices at Blankenship & Co.

J. O. Welborn wants to trade Fort Sumner town property for a good team and wagon; he will pay the difference in price in cash.

The Hereford Nursery Co. of Hereford, Texas, has established a branch office at Fort Sumner, J. H. Keeling agent. Their stock is acclimated and guaranteed from infection.

Erickson & Co have just received a car of Fancy and Standard canned Vegetables, including the Famous Richelieu Jans, Mince-meat, and other items too numerous to mention.

We want you to try Manzaneros' cases of Piles. This excellent remedy is being used by a great many people with satisfactory results. Sold by Sunnyside Drug Co.

The sugar fraud exposure brought a little money into the conscience fund, but none of it came from the big thieves.

Half the the money that is being contributed for relief of victims at Cherry, Ill., would have made the mines safe. But as a people we seem to be more interested in relief than prevention

Personal.

See Wilmoth for Wall Paper.

Clothing at cost Blankenship and Co.

Hot lunch at all hours at the Arc Light Cafe.

For the best meat go to Curtis Meat Market.

All goods spot cash to all Blankenship & Co.

See J. O. Welborn if you wish to rent a house.

Curtis' Meat Market on Fifth street. Phone No. 35.

Ladies underwear at cost at Blankenship & Co.

Why not send a copy of the Review back home?

Let Wright & Hurd build your Flues and Chimneys. 21-12

A fine line of clothing, cheap for cash at Blankenship & Co's Big Store.

For Concrete Sidewalks of Quality and Durability see Wright & Hurd. 21-12

The most complete assortment of woolen over-shirts at Blankenship and Co's.

Black fox skins are quoted at \$1.00 apiece nowadays, which is still a few laps ahead of sheep skins, thank you.

"Women will run things in the course of time," says Dr. Hollis Sure! They run things now, to a rather remarkable degree.

The best and most up-to-date line of men's and boys hats ever brought to Guadalupe County at Blankenship's.

For Sale--120 acres of patented land, within 5 miles of Fort Sumner; living water; a choice place for a dairy ranch; cheap for cash.

C. W. Foor.

A prohibition argument started in a "blind tiger" in Dixie ended in a free-for-all fight. A "join" debate as it were.

E. L. Howland is serving short orders in the rear of the A. J. Gilliam barber shop and the Arc Light bar.

Ed H. Bickley returned from a business trip to Oklahoma Thursday and will commence Monday to plow his land, preparatory to spring planting. This is the right thing to do at the right time and shows that Mr. Bickley is learning the dry farming theory.

Mr. Peary is said to believe firmly that he is not only the first man who ever reached the north pole, but that he will be the last one. The north pole appears to be the closest corporation that ever came down the pike.

Have just received a car of Wolfs Premium Flour, Corn and Chop, Potatoes and Onions. Canned Goods, Sugar, Alfalfa, Windmills, Casing pipe and Fixtures. It will pay you to get you to our prices before buying elsewhere. Erickson & Co.

C. R. Brown, D. D. S.

Dr. Brown, of Coswell, N. M., is here for a few days. Those wishing dental work will call at the Commercial Hotel.

W. H. Weaver of Manitou, Oklahoma, came in last week. His wife and children have been here for several weeks. He contemplates going into business here soon.

What will the world be to us when the Western Union is no more?